Spot Market Closes at Lowest Level of Year. Covering Partly Stimulated by Encouraging Cables; Liquidation of Speculative Accounts Is a Feature.

MARKET WILLGROW TO

MARKET DEPRESSION

spot holders as the planting season draws near, while on the other hand the buils are confident that the remilikely nants of the crop are firmly held and prices.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch]
Orange, Va., February 23.—Aluch interest is being shown in the work here of a committee of physicians, investigating the mental and physical condition of each pupil in every public school throughout the county. Drs. Flippin, Heck, Compton and Hedges, of the University of Virginia, have about completed their examination of the white schools, while Drs. Flanagan, Brumfield and Lickle, of the State Board of Health, are at present examining the children of the colored schools.

OPEN AN ACCOUNT WITH

OF RICHMOND

THE UNION BANK

WHEAT UNSETTLED; STRONGER TENDENCY

Much Duplication in Evidence-Weaker

Tendency in Corn.

movement from the West to the East. ments
Late in the week, wheat markets bushels,

Argentina, which is now said to be only 111,000,000 bushels, whereas thus far in the current season the shipments have exceeded 200,000,000 bushels.

BE WEATHER AFFAIR NET BEING CLOSED

since September of 1911, when the market was in course of recovery from he slump which followed the filing of the suit to dissolve the United States Steel prices of copper last week marked the difficulties of producers in the reawakening of the buying demand. Something like a deadlock was reported also between buyers and sellers of pig from. Heavy specifications kept up the output of finished steel nearly to full capacity, but new orders are below production.

In the necessity forced by the Union derive of undersuiting that company's holdings of Southern Pacific comes at a time peculiarly unpropitious. The practical wiping out of the value of the stockholders' subscription rights has resulted from the decline in Southern Pacific itself. Pressure on other securities undoubtedly is caused by preparations for this subscription.

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COTTON GOODE PEULEU.

The agreement to arbitrate the rallroad firemen's demands, thus avoiding
a strike, was an improvement over the
previous condition. The same was true
of the deposition of the Mexican President. So much remains, however, still
to be solved in both of these questions
that last week's developments went but
a little way in affording relief.
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Orange County is the first county in any State of the Union in which such an investigation has been made. It was selected as being a typical county, one in which the population is large, in a such consider it sufficient to run as a perment. The pupils are examined for eye, car and throat troubles and other constitutional altiments. Particular attention is being paid to examining for hookworm, a good many cases of which have been found. When fulshed, to any one wishing it, and which will pave the way for a work of inestimatic ble benefit in promoting the health of the county at large.

GRASTY ENTERS RACE.

Declarcs Himself Candidate for House of Delegates.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
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Orange. Va., February 23.—Mrs.

Henry Thompson Holloday has issued invitations, for the marriage of her daughter, Nancy Nalle, to Dallas Armstrong Shafer, of Richmond. The wedding will take place Thursday, March 6, at 6 o'clock, in the Waddell Memoin the Waddell Memo-

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Tendency

The York Pobrusty 21—All American solution in Review of the post of

Gradually, but surely, the net is being closed on the perpetrators of the dynamiting of the home of Mrs. George M. Jones here, nearly two weeks ago, and it would not be surprising now to see an arrest or arrests in a very short time. The investigation has been conducted quietly by the local police, who have had many difficulties of Folke Engel Brandt, former valet for Banker Mortimer L. Schiff, in his new home in Minnesota. By keeping constant vigil they hope to be able to discredit the young man among his new found friends in the West, and make good the contention this his pardon by Governor Sulzer from a thiry-police, who have had many difficulties

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Prices of stocks at one time last week reached the lowest level touched since September of 1811, when the mar
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his real name at a salary of \$100 a

been named to prepare for the enter-tainment of the State convention of the Travelers' Protective 'Association the May:

Month:

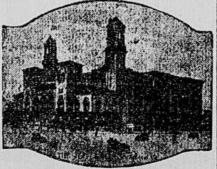
Senator Nelson adds that Pinkerton detectives are constantly dogging Brandt's movements, but thus far

Physicians Investigate Mental and Physical Condition of Children.

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Birmingham. Savannah. Jacksonville: 7:23
P. M.—Limited. 12:25 A. M.—Sleepers and
coaches. Jacksonville. 11:25 P. M.—Sleepers and
caoches. Atlanta. Birmingham.
Memphis. Northbound trains scheduled to
arrive in Richmond daily: 7:40 A. M., 5:30
A. M., 9:45 A. M., 5:05 P. M.—5:40 P. M.,
Local. Railroads

Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Chesapeake & Unio Kaliway

7:80 A.—Local—Daily—Newport News.
2:18 A.—Local—Daily—Ch'ville. Ex. Sun.
Thurmond.

10:00 A.—Exp.—Daily—Norfolk. Old Point,
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10:00 A.—Exp.—Daily—Lobbg.. Lex.. C.

Forge.

18:00 Noon—Express—Daily—Norfolk. Old
Point.

19:18 P.—Express—Daily—Cln., L'ville.

19:18 P.—Express—Daily—Norfolk. Old Point.

5:10 P.—Express—Daily—Norfolk.

10:00 P.—Express—Daily—Cln., L'ville.

5:18 P.—Local—Ex. Sun.—Gordonsville.

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6:10 P.—Limited—Daily—Cln., Chicago.

11:00 P.—Express—Daily—Cln., Louisville.

*Sleepers. †Parlor cars.

TRAINS ARRIVE RICHMOND—Local
from East: 11:20 A. M., 7:40 P. M. Through
from East: 11:20 A. M., 7:30 P. M. 6:30 P. M.
Local from West: 8:20 A. M. *10:28 A. M.,
and 7:20 P. M. Through: 8:20 A. M., 11:38 A.
M. and 3:20 P. M.

James River Line: *5:33 A. M., 7:10 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

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**5.20 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.

*5.40 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.

**7.10 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.

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**8.40 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.

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**9.50 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.

**12.01 noon Byrd St. Sta.

**7.10 P.M. Byrd St. Sta.

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ACCOMMODATION TRAINS-WEEKDAYS. Leave Byrd St. Sta. 4.00 P. M. for Fredericksburg. Leave Elba Sta. 7.30 A. M., 6.80 P. M. for Ashland. Arrive Byrd St. Sta. 8.25 A.M. from Fredericksby. Larive Elba Sta. 6.80 A.M., 6.42 P.M. from Ashland.

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From the South; 6:30 A. M. and 5:40 A. M..

2:30 P. M., 5:35 P. M. daily; 12:35 Ex. Sun. From West Point: 9:30 A. M. daily; 11:35 A. M., Mon., Wed. and Fril; 4:25 P. M. Ex. Sun. From West Point: 9:30 A. M. daily; 11:35 A. M., Mon., Wed. and Fril; 4:25 P. M. Ex. Sun. St. E. BURGESS, D. P. A., 507 E. Main St. Phone Madison 272.

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Leave Byrd Street Station, Richmond, FOR NORFOLK: 9:00 A. M., *3:00 P. M., *4:19

New Orleans, February 23.—The Cotton Market will grow to be more of a weather affair this week and the weather affair this week and the weather map will have an increasing effect on prices. This is to be expected with the planting season, or in least the beginning of it only a few weeks off.

Hardly second in importance to the weather will be the spot situation. Strong developments in this direction might even rank higher in importance to the weather changes. Bears expect when weather changes. Bears expect to see more or less weakness among spot holders as the planting season, or the consus statistics, and they are the holders as the planting season or the set of the consus statistics, and they are likely to have more or less effect on prices.

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HIS FOOTSTEPS

A feature of no small interest will be the set of the weather change season. The least report, will be last report, and the consus Bureau reports on ginning of the last report, will be last easy of the census Bureau reports on ginning of the planting season. The least report, which will be Issued March 20, will be last ed on the consus Bureau reports on ginning of the planting season. The least report, which will be Issued March 20, will carry the crop down to February 23.—This is to be exweeks off.

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This report will count the crop grown, including linters, and will be accepted by the trade as the best obtainable information on actual growth. It is probable that the week-end will see one or more important forecasts of the census statistics, and they are likely to have more or less effect on prices.

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Richmond and Chesapeake P.R.y Bay
Schedule of Electric Trains, effective May
39, 1912. Leave Richmond, Laurel and Broad
Streets: b*6:95 A. M., *7:10 A. M., b5:10 A.
M., 9:10 A. M., *7:10 B. M., b5:10 A.
M., 9:10 A. M., **10:10 A. M., 11:10 A. M., 1:10
P. M., 2:10 P. M., 3:10 P. M., b4:10 P. M., 5:29
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A. M., *12:100 M., **1:00 P. M., 2:09 P. M., 7:09
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Engagement Announced.

Lynchburg, Va., February 23.—Announcements have been received here of the engagement of Miss Rosa van Gelder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martinus van Gelder, of Philadelphia, to David H. Dillard, of Lynchburg. The marriage is to take place in Philadelphia, March 19. The prospective bride is a student at the Randolph-Macon Weman's College here, and Mr. Dillard is secretary-treasurer of the Old Dending will take place of the mining Miss of the mining will take place of the mining will take place of the mining mining. For the mining will take place of the mining will be 1704 EAST MAIN STREET. Ninth and Main. STAR MAKES A START. 2 PER CENT INTEREST. Capital and Surplus, \$3,000,000 Admission, 250.